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ANOTHER Democratic newspaper in Colfax county. The Democrats support their papers right well, in office and out of office, that is the explanation.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY'S course regarding the complications with Spain is being tried and is not found wanting. Indeed, the logic of events demonstrates its wisdom and sagacity.

The pleasant work of kissing their girls good-bye is over with for a time for the New Mexico volunteers. They are now at San Antonio, Tex., where it is drill, drill, drill and no chance to flirt with the girls.

JOHN BULL has informed his European confederates that if there is any grand stand jumping to be done by them against Uncle Sam, he will do some of it on the side of Uncle Sam. Blood is thicker than water any way.

THE NEW MEXICAN is in receipt of a powerful and assorted lot of poetry and puns on Dewey and Manila and so on. But as life is short and as Dewey's victory occurred over a week ago, the assortment cannot be published, for which the readers of the NEW MEXICAN should give devout thanks.

WHILE President McKinley is wrestling with the Spanish foe and that successfully, Governor Bushnell, of Ohio, is wrestling with the measles in the camp of the Ohio National Guard. Governor Bushnell has become a sort of a "hoodoo," since he went with Kurtz et al.

THE Albuquerque Democrat has commenced the publication of a Monday morning edition and is now a seven-times-a-week daily paper. This is quite a stroke of enterprise for a New Mexico paper. It may pay, as the Albuquerque papers, by location and by train service, have the cream of the newspaper situation in the territory.

THERE is a dark lining to Dewey's victory in Manila bay. The Philippine islands may have been gained thereby and become part and parcel of this country, but the Bradley-Martins, that celebrated New York family of upstarts, has announced that it must abandon this country and reside in England. No rose without thorns indeed. So runs the world away.

THE expected has happened. The New York World and the New York Journal now claim all credit for Dewey's victory in Manila harbor. It was apparent that the newspapers, especially those of New York, had much to do with it and now comes the official announcement on the part of those papers, which of course makes it so.

WHILE the free silver, Democratic and Pop senators and representatives in congress and the free silver, Pop and Democratic and Popocratic papers all over the country were finding fault and damning the administration for losing time, being slow and cowardly and the like, the latter was shipping ammunition to Dewey, that he might be in condition to fight. As soon as that was accomplished, he was told to go ahead. The result is known.

LATER reports from Admiral Dewey confirm the opinion, that the battle in Manila harbor on May 1 was a most glorious success and that there is nothing like it in the annals of naval history. Not a single American ship was seriously injured and but a half dozen men wounded, whereas the loss to the enemy was 11 ships lost, and between 700 and 800 killed and wounded. Besides, the powerful land batteries at Fort Cavite were silenced and the fortifications destroyed. The American navy forever.

GEORGE FRED WILLIAMS, perennial free silver candidate for governor of Massachusetts, has been busily engaged during the past week in raising a regiment of volunteers to be composed of free silver men exclusively and has so far succeeded in raising 17 men and all these are to be commissioned officers. Either free silver men are very scarce in Massachusetts these days or they do not want to go to war or the people of Massachusetts care very little for noble George. Take your choice.

THE Democrats of Chaves county have shield their cantor in the political ring and will hold primaries for the selection of candidates upon the county ticket to be voted on next November on July 5. The early bird catches the worm in Chaves county. A nomination on the Democratic ticket there is about equal to an election. At least this has been the case so far, and there is no reason to believe that a change has come over

the spirit of the dreams of the voters of the county. The nearness to Texas probably accounts for this state of affairs, although the sheep interests of the county are becoming quite prominent and valuable. A sheep owner and wool merchant ought to be a natural and very strong protectionist and Republican, but quiet sabbie in Chaves county; they are dyed in the Democratic wool down there and one can not tell when a change for the better is to take place.

The Wheat Market.

Wheat has "ris" and the indications are that the end of the upward tendency has not yet come. Two years ago, had anyone predicted that before July, 1898, the 82 mark would have been nearly reached, he would have been laughed to scorn because the price of silver was so low. Silver remains at the same price but wheat seems to be irrevocably divorced from the white metal. There is almost no speculative element in the advance. The prices of wheat everywhere, for immediate use, are higher than the speculative features, and the world appears to stand face to face with an actual scarcity, such as has not been experienced in many years.

In five countries of Europe, which levy a tax, varying from 36 cents to 58 cents a bushel on imported wheat, for the benefit of their home producers, the domestic supplies have become so small that the duties have been suspended, until July 1. France, Italy, Spain and Portugal have decided to admit foreign wheat free of duty, and even Austria-Hungary, which, in ordinary years, produces more than enough for home needs, has thrown down the tariff bars against foreign wheat. But the suspension of duty in those countries has had an effect contrary to that which was expected. Instead of cheapening the cost of bread, to the extent of the amount of duty formerly paid, it has called the attention of the world to the great scarcity of grain in those countries, and the advance in prices has about equaled the amount of the tax that has been removed.

European importing nations have been buying, for weeks, more wheat in exporting countries than they ever obtained at this season in any previous year. The scarcity that has caused the advance is in the importing countries, not those which have a surplus. Every exporting country has shipped more wheat, out of the 1897 crop, than it was expected to be able to spare for export. This is especially true of the United States and Russia. These two countries, for nine months, have been shipping wheat so extensively that most dealers in grain a short time ago had almost reached the conclusion that there would be enough wheat to go around, without any extraordinary prices, and that the world would escape the threatened scarcity of bread.

But it appears that the farmers have not held back the usual proportion of their crops, to be sold in the last two months of the crop year, and the accumulated stocks of wheat in the hands of dealers have commenced to decrease so rapidly that widespread alarm has suddenly developed all over the world. The great advance in prices is all the more significant because the prospects for the 1898 crop, in nearly every country, are extraordinarily promising, and the harvest season for the earliest new wheat is barely a month away. Farmers, therefore, have good reasons for selling every bushel of their wheat, while prices are so high, and it is certain that there will be a more complete exhaustion of wheat supplies in farmers' hands than has ever occurred before.

THE COMPILATION OF THE LAWS.

A Great Convenience—A Very Sensible Way to Look at the Matter.

By proclamation of Governor Otero the new compilation of the laws of New Mexico becomes operative and in full effect on the 22nd day of the present month. The public printer has finished the printing of both the English and Spanish editions of the laws and they are now ready for distribution. The price of these laws is \$3.50 per volume, and it is compulsory upon all territorial and county officials to procure them by the time they go into effect. We have not yet seen these new laws and do not know anything of the manner in which the work of the commission was done. But from the very nature of the authority given them we are fully aware the compilation does not come up to the needs of the territory, as nothing, save a complete revision of the laws, would have met the demands. The compilation, however, eliminates the dead encumbrances from the body of our laws and brings them down to date. As kindred statutes are placed in juxtaposition, the imperfections and needed changes are all the more patent and they can be remedied by amendment in future legislatures. Take it altogether the compilation will be a great convenience.

DEMOCRATS IN CHAVES COUNTY.

Meeting of County Democratic Committee—Primaries July 5, 1898.

The Democratic central committee of Chaves county met April 30, 1898. Present: W. M. Atkinson, W. O. Urton, J. T. Evans, J. H. Devine and F. J. Beck. Absent, George Curry, J. S. Lea, J. W. Langford and Ben Duncan.

W. M. Atkinson was elected.

Resignation of George Curry was read and accepted, and J. W. Overman elected to fill vacancy.

July 5, 1898, was agreed upon as the day for holding primary elections to select candidates for the county ticket.

A meeting of the committee will be held on June 25, for the purpose of appointing judges to hold elections in the various voting precincts of the county on the above named date.

Another meeting of the committee will be held on June 25, for the purpose of arranging the ticket to be voted at said primary election.

Resignation of F. J. Beck received and accepted, and J. D. Lea to fill vacancy arising therefrom.

Moved and seconded that J. D. Lea be elected secretary. Carried.

The same rule which governed the primary election of 1896 will be used this year, except that a person must be a qualified voter at the time of holding the primary. In order to vote. Adjourned.

CROP REPORT.

Slight Damage by Frost During the Past Week—Upon the Whole the Situation Not Unfavorable.

The weather continued favorable during the week ending May 9, and fruits and crops continue promising. Killing frosts on the 4th, 5th and 6th are reported as causing some injury to budding vines and tender vegetation in portions of the northern and central sections, but the total damage does not appear to be great, except possibly in the vicinity of Albuquerque, where beans in bloom, melons and tender plants in many places seem to be killed outright. Some slight damage also has been caused to grapes and other fruits by the prevailing high winds of the past week.

Light showers have occurred in central, western and northwestern sections, but in the southeast the week has been dry and the lack of rain is beginning to be apparent. In the northeast heavy rains during the middle of the week, accompanied by hail, while not injuring fruit or crops particularly, were unfavorable to spring lambs, and caused some loss.

In the southern counties planting corn progresses favorably and wheat and barley are heading, and over the territory generally alfalfa is reported as seldom looking better.

Cattle are in prime condition; ranges continue to improve; and there seems to be plenty of water for irrigating purposes.

The following extracts from reports of correspondents will be found of interest:

Albuquerque—M. Custers—Heavy frost night of the 4th killed beans which were in bloom, melons, and like tender vegetables. Grapes and potato vines also were somewhat damaged, but apples and peaches were too far along to receive injury. No rainfall.

Bernalillo—Brother Gabriel—The weather continued fine during the week with the exception of high winds on the 3d, 4th and 5th. Some vines and tomato plants in unprotected places were somewhat damaged by frost of the 5th. Vines in general are making a fine appearance both in fruit and foliage. Fruit trees at present are in a very fine and healthy condition, and the fruit is quite large. Alfalfa, wheat and corn are growing rapidly, and farmers are happy at the success of their labor. Vegetable gardens are looking well. Rivers are somewhat higher, and irrigation ditches well supplied with water. Ranges are coming up finely, and cattle are in good condition. Highest temperature 92, lowest 37 on the 5th. Rainfall 0.02 inch.

Eddy—L. O. Fuller—Crop conditions continue good but somewhat retarded by the cold nights. There is plenty of water for irrigation, but rain is needed for the range. Best planting progress satisfactorily; thinning has begun on a few tracts. First crop of alfalfa will be light owing to the fact that most of the pastures have been given over to the sheep.

Frisco—C. Hightower—Generally cold and cloudy weather since Sunday, and high winds at intervals, have caused some loss to lambs, but the lambing season so far has been the best known. Crops are doing finely and grass growing nicely.

Gallinas Springs—Jas. E. Whitmore—Too cold for plant growth, and the cold winds at intervals, have caused some loss to lambs, but the lambing season so far has been the best known. Crops are doing finely and grass growing nicely.

Las Cruces—C. E. Mead—Field crops continue to grow nicely. Wheat and barley just heading. Alfalfa beginning to bloom. Gardens look fine. A few green peas in market. The river is high and there is plenty of water in the irrigating ditches. Ranges are in fine condition. Farmers are still thinning sugar beets. Fruit making good progress. Frost did not injure fruits. No rain.

Los Alamos—Wm. Frank—Heavy rain on the 4th, with light hail, and again heavier hail in the afternoon which damaged some fruits and flowers. Heavy fog on the 5th and 6th, with frost on the ground, but not as yet estimated damage, if any. Some lambs just dropped reported killed by the hail.

Los Lunas—Richard Pohl—Past week rather more windy than usual, with light frost on Thursday. The high winds somewhat damaged grapes. No rain.

Ojo Caliente—A. Joseph—Unusually cold weather this week, but crops are looking well and the ranges are in excellent condition. Fruits are promising. Alfalfa is the best in years, and will be ready to harvest by the last of this month. Rainfall 0.30 inches.

Pajarito—J. Felipe Hubbell—Apples, peaches and apricots very promising; grapes are sprouting nicely. Wheat and alfalfa never better. Farmers are planting corn.

Springer—F. B. Strong—Hard hail and rainstorm on the 3rd. Cold continued, with rain on the 4th. Cold weather hard on lambs. Rain, 1.40 inches.

R. M. HARDINGE, Section Director.

She Paralyzed Him.

Counsel—What is your age, madam?

Witness—Forty seven sir.

Counsel—Married or single?

Witness—Single. I never had an offer of marriage in my life, and if it is of interest to the court, I don't mind saying that I have worn false hair for nearly thirty years.

Counsel—Hem! That is all, madam. There is no use trying to shake the direct testimony of so truthful a woman as you are.

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Uncomfortable Case.

"A man," said the aged statesman, as his young spouse was seen sneaking away across lots for the forty-second time—"a man with a wife and child ought to be happy, but when they happen to be one and the same he isn't."—Indianapolis Journal.

The Klondike Dogs.

"Even the trained dogs can't stand the weather," writes a Klondike correspondent. "It takes the bark off one." It is inferred from the bills of fare we have seen from that region that it also takes the skin off them.—Atlanta Constitution.

Northwestern Philosophy.

A great many people go through life trying to pop corn on a cold stove.

The man with money to burn usually spends a part of his life sitting in ashes.—Rush City Post.

Very Probable.

The Clairvoyant—Yes, I get most of my business through the papers.

The Mesmerist—Ah, you are an advertising medium then!—New York Journal.

Surprised.

He kissed her on the ruby lips. She nearly had a fit; For they, you see, were man and wife, And she wasn't used to it.—Cleveland Leader.

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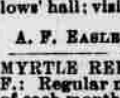
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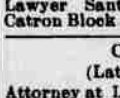
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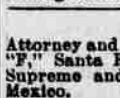
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